

WRECKED
IN A STORM.Overladen Steamer Triton Sank
Near Cuba.

PROBABLY 150 PEOPLE PERISH

By the Disaster—Forty-two People
Rescued After Severely Suffering
From Exposure.

HAVANA, Oct. 18.—The coasting steamer Triton, from Havana to Bahia Honda, province of Pinar del Rio, has been wrecked between Dominica and Mariel, on the north coast of the province. The steamer went ashore Saturday morning during heavy weather, grounding about eight miles from the coast. The purser and one of the passengers arrived at Mariel late Saturday evening. They said that the Triton had on board over 200 passengers, soldiers and civilians, and were probably all lost.

The Spanish gunboat, Maria Christina, and the tug Suse, left this port at once for the scene of the wreck, and have just returned, the gunboat having on board 19 and the tugboat 23 of the members of the lost ships, of whom 13 are civilians and soldiers. The whereabouts of the others of the company are unknown.

The Triton, which was overloaded, struck the rock during a heavy rainstorm. Her cargo shifted, and 15 minutes later she sank in 120 fathoms of water.

A scene of terrible confusion and panic ensued as soon as the passengers realized the meaning of the crash. In a wild struggle they rushed for the boats. The first boat that was lowered capsized immediately and all of the occupants were drowned in the swirling waters. The next was struck by an enormous wave and turned over, drowning 20, but the frail craft righted again, and eight, who had been thrown out, regained.

Some were good swimmers and kept themselves afloat for hours, others floated about for 24 hours on planks. Four soldiers on planks, whom the strong current carried east of Havana, opposite Moro castle, were saved yesterday morning by a pilot boat going toward Cardenas. They declare that Saturday evening there were many guns near them on planks, and that morning all these had disappeared. Some of them probably had become food for sharks.

Those who were rescued tell heart-rending stories of scenes during the terrible quarter of an hour before the Triton sank. An army captain, his wife and daughter, went down together, locked in a last embrace. A mother with twins 5 months old drifted helplessly away on the crest of a great wave. All the other ladies and children were drowned. Just as the Triton was sinking Captain Ricardo, her commander, committed suicide by shooting himself with his revolver.

It is impossible to give the exact number of those who were lost, but it is estimated there were no fewer than 150. No passenger list has been found. The consignee says that the vessel, which carried a general cargo, was not insured.

The 42 rescued persons suffered severely from the exposure. All of them were more or less bruised and many of them badly wounded.

On board the Triton was \$31,680 in silver to be used for the payment of the Spanish military and naval forces.

YELLOW FEVER RAVAGES.

Falling Off in the Number of New Cases but the Death Rate Increased.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 18.—During the past 24 hours there were five deaths from yellow fever and 23 new cases reported to the board of health. Here is a list of the deaths and new cases:

DEATHS.
—Gould.
James Burns.
Mathieu Levy.
William Beckhold.
Domenico Miceli.
NEW CASES.
—Schneider, —Guonion, Gay Maloney, Domenico Miceli, W. G. Malothe, P. S. Harvey, Miss Agnes Shields, Miss M. A. Roddis, Frank Schonezmann, Lorenza Scanlon, —Parnato, Michael Wierners, —Jaint, —Jules Robert, Francis Robert, —McKnight, —Miss Miriam Dugan, Miss Louise Clayman, —Ogden, William Haack, John Goodie, Eddie Henion.

—Five New Cases at Mobile.
MOBILE, Oct. 18.—There were five new cases of yellow fever reported during the past 24 hours, as follows: Thomas Mabry, Harry Flinn, Thomas O'Quinn, Mrs. V. B. McAlister and Louis C. Webb. There were four recoveries and no deaths. Total cases to date, 164; deaths, 21; discharged, 101; under treatment, 43.

BLUFFED BY ROBBERS.

Farmers Afraid to Tell the Names of Robbers.
ELWOOD, Ind., Oct. 18.—The organized band of thieves in this and Tipton counties is still operating with great boldness, notwithstanding the warning notices issued by the farmers.

Friday night Ward Hobbs, a farmer residing four miles west of the city, was awakened by a noise in his barnyard and went out to investigate. He was confronted by several men, who covered him with revolvers and threatened to burn his house and barn if he dared to reveal who they were. The robbers then left, taking with them wheat corn and poultry. Mr. Hobbs so far has refused to reveal the names of the men, as he fears they will execute their threats. Other farmers who have learned who the robbers are refuse to give their names, fearing that they will destroy their property. The state authorities may be appealed to.

Murdered on a Freight Train.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 18.—While riding into Ellyria on a Lake Shore freight train at an early hour yesterday morning, Roman Operanski, whose home is in Pittsburgh, was attacked by three highwaymen, who were also about the train. Operanski showed fight, and as a result was shot, the ball entering the back between the fifth and sixth ribs. The highwaymen made their escape. Operanski was brought to Cleveland and placed in the Huron street hospital, where he died from his wound yesterday afternoon. The murderers are thought to be members of an organized gang which frequents the line of the Lake Shore railroad.

CHARLES A. DANA DEAD.
The Editor of The New York Sun Passes Away at His Long Island Home.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Charles A. Dana, editor of The New York Sun, died at his home in Glen Cove, L. I., at 1:20 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Mr. Dana's death had been expected for several hours, and his family and physicians were at his bedside when he came. His condition had been such for several months that the members of his family had kept themselves in constant readiness to go to his bedside at any moment. On Saturday morning he had a relapse, and it was apparent that recovery was impossible. Several times, however, he rallied, but toward night he began to sink. During the night there were feeble rallies, but they did not last long. Sunday morning it was seen that the end was but a few hours off, and his attendants remained almost constantly at his bedside. The end came quietly.



CHARLES A. DANA.

The cause of Mr. Dana's death was cirrhosis of the liver. On June 9 he had his first attack, apparently strong and healthy. The next day he was taken ill and he never afterward visited New York.

The extreme heat of Saturday and Friday had much to do with hastening his death. On Friday Mr. Dana showed signs of distress and everything possible was done to relieve him. He had been weakened by his long illness, and during the summer was several times thought to be on the verge of a fatal collapse, but each time rallied. He did not improve much with the coming cooler weather, and the sinking spells became more frequent.

Mr. Dana was 78 years old.

PYTHIAN HOME DEDICATION.

Fine Display of Dances and Pythians at Springfield, O.
SPRINGFIELD, O., Oct. 15.—Two thousand visitors were here yesterday for the dedication of the Ohio Pythian home. The Ohio brigade of the Uniform Rank was well represented, the Second regiment from Cleveland being in full force and companies from Cincinnati, Columbus, Toledo, Delaware and other cities, making the attendance a fine representation of the brigade.

The 16th annual meeting of the brigade officers was held in the morning in the armory of Company 44. Brigadier General J. C. Howe made his annual address, in which the growth of the Uniform Rank was noted. The enrollment is now 3,573.

The parade moved from Fountain square at 2 o'clock. Upon its arrival at the home the dedication exercises were held.

This is the first Pythian home in the world.

Thirteen Indictments Returned.

NEWPORT, Ky., Oct. 16.—The special grand jury of Campbell county has reported the indictments of the gang that criminally assaulted Mrs. William Gleason on the night of Oct. 6. Seven were indicted for criminal assault, the penalty for which in this state is death. Six were indicted for complicity in the outrage, the penalty for which is from 10 to 21 years. John Shannon, Mat Meiner, Hubert Metter and William Schorley were released. All those indicted are in jail, and the feeling is now almost universal for the law to take its course. There will be speedy trials.

Abraham Garfield Married.
CLEVELAND, Oct. 15.—At high noon yesterday Abraham Garfield, the youngest son of the late president, was married to Miss Sarah Granger Williams at the country home of Mr. E. P. Williams, at Greenville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Hayden of the Old Stone church. The ceremony was witnessed by 100 friends of the bride and groom. The wedding breakfast was served in a large tent on the big lawn beside the house. During the afternoon the guests enjoyed themselves by dancing on the lawn.

Horses Killed and Riders Injured.
TOMPKINSVILLE, Ky., Oct. 16.—A fearful accident happened on the reunion grounds, at Green Grove, Cumberland county, yesterday. Sam Smith of Kettle Creek and a son of Will Henry Ross of near Albany, Ky., were running their horses toward each other, when they ran their horses together and killed both horses instantly. Smith's right leg was broken above and once below the knee; his eyes were badly injured and his right arm crushed. Ross was also badly injured, and there is but little hope of his recovery.

Killed by a Train.
ELKHART, Ind., Oct. 15.—Harry Sherman, 35, single, was struck by a Lake Shore passenger train here yesterday noon, and instantly killed. Sherman endeavored to drive across the track before the approaching train in a buggy, in company with Daniel Weaver, a shoemaker. Weaver was seriously injured, and his recovery is problematical. Weaver is 30 and a man of family. The horse was also killed and the carriage was completely demolished.

WARNING.—Persons who suffer from coughs and cold should heed the warnings of danger and save themselves suffering and fatal results by using One Minute Cough Cure. It is an infallible remedy for coughs, colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles.—Short & Haynes.

BRANDENBURG

Ex-Senator Blackburn Will Throw
Bon-Bons To-morrow.

Box Party to Four of the Capital City
Belles.—All the News.

There will be a donation party and reception at the parsonage this afternoon (Wednesday) The members of Cedar Grove church will be present.

Mrs. Thomas Ditt's and Little Virginia have returned from a pleasant visit to Hardinsburg.

Devotional exercises of Epworth League last Sunday night were more interesting than usual and the attendance was better.

Dr. J. R. Dowden and Dr. J. M. Hardin are doing an extensive dental business in this and adjoining counties. They are fully equipped and up to date in their profession.

Mr. Bailey made one of the best Republican speeches here last Friday I ever heard made and every one whom I heard speak of the address spoke in similar terms. He is a very gentlemanly man of a finished bearing and makes use of choice language. Mr. Jo A. Parker is well-known on the stump as a ready, off-hand declaimer, quick at repartee, handles his points with precision and proclaims his "middle of the road"—Populism with irreconcilable ideas of fusion, which I admire. He pictured the positions of the two old parties in a strong light and told us all about the Chicago platform being a structure built after the Omaha fashion, except one important piece of timber being omitted of which we are all aware. Both Mr. Bailey and Mr. Parker denounced the Louisville Dispatch and referred to it in tones of withering sarcasm. Politics! Politics! Oh, what a tangled web! But what an infatuation it exerts over its followers and what a mystic spell it weaves around the subjects caught in its meshes.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Peckpangh, Louisville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. June McGeehe. Jo and Will McGeehe, of Louisville, spent Sunday at home.

The box party given by the literary association of Brandenburg Normal last Saturday night was a crowning success and a most delightful entertainment socially. A breast pin was awarded to the young lady who received the greatest number of votes for being the handsomest one in the room. Misses Maybue, Pusey, Mary Lewis, Pearl Wimp and Mona Price were the contestants. Miss Pearl got the pin.

Miss Lu's Bland entertained her young friends most delightfully last Thursday evening on her birthday. Delicious refreshments were served. Music beguiled the happy hours and for Miss Lu's, one of our most popular young ladies, it is wished that all her friends may be fond and true.

To the handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Yeakel we find the Stork has made an auspicious visit and left a tiny, precious package—a girl baby.

Mrs. D. W. Lewis is visiting in Louisville.

Mrs. J. K. Ditt has been on the sick list, but is better.

Mrs. Lizz's Board has not been well for sometime.

Jeff Ditt has had malaria, but is now able to be out.

Henry Moreman has been confined to his bed for a week with fever.

Mrs. John Radley will return to Elizabethtown this week after a stay with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Mallin.

Senator J. C. Blackburn will address the people of this place tomorrow (Thursday) on the political issues of the day. The free silver element will gather to receive the political bon-bons this renowned "Come you in peace, or come you in war or come you to wed young Lochinvar" will distribute to his advocates. Senator Blackburn has many qualities that go to constitute a leader. We need such men as he and Hindman to pull together instead of opposing each other.

Miss Agnes Worland is improving and we hope she will soon be with us again. Mr. D. S. Richardson, of the Arcade East Main expresses himself as feeling a much wiser man after hearing W. J. Bryan expound political doctrine at Elizabethtown. By the way the talented Nebraska says that Hardin county crowd was the gamut he heard in the old Commonwealth. A down pour of rain had no effect to diminish their enthusiasm.

My staunch sound money friend, Mr. John Hardin, of Big Spring, attended the Bailey-Parker speaking last Friday and was the guest of Mrs. Mary Martin. Mr. Hardin is looking quite himself, his prestige not being impaired from Republican rule as he still shuffles Uncle Sam's mail matter and advocates tariff for revenue only along with other Democratic principles.

Miss Fidelity is visiting her sister, Mrs. Eugene Hardisty.

Miss Ena Davis attended the Literary last Friday night.

Mr. A. C. Barton will have order at the literary exercises. He realizes that "Order is Heaven's first law" and that without it any enterprise will fail. He is so kind, but positive, it is strange any



AT THE HEAD OF LAKE LINDEMAN.

This scene is from a photograph taken at the end of the terrible Chilkat pass.

one can refrain from complying with his gentlemanly requests.

Come out to our prayer meetings Tuesday night at the Baptist church Mr. Burton conducts services in his own happy, original style. Tuesday night he wishes each Christian to State in his or her own language or that of another "Why it pays to be a Christian." Wednesday night at the Methodist church Bro. Hesson requests each member to try and bring some one else. He gives an earnest helpful talk which with the songs and prayers makes it good to be there.

The second literary society of Brandenburg Normal was held last Friday night and the pupils were greeted by a crowded house. The program was of quite a superior order for the advanced pupils and the next grade down to the smallest "tots" showed marked improvement. Little Pauline Dowden, Flora and Fannie Nevitt, Mary Richardson and Hattie Grinnell made their debut in song and proved themselves "stars."

Can it be true that John M. Palmer, who was on the same ticket with ex-Gov. Buckner, of Kentucky, has volunteered his services to the negro in Alton, Ill., as an attorney to force the whites to admit them into their schools? We have no such Republicans even in this town but then this is Kentucky.

And our M-a-le county man, Mr. Elihu Ashcraft, of a Senatorial race of much renown has stepped down and off to be succeeded by Hon. D. R. Murray, of Breckinridge county, which county is determined to have the next Senator. Judging from the editor's in the Meade Messenger I thought none more fit, nor better equipped for more popular candidate for the office could be produced than our Meade county friend, Mr. Jolly will undoubtedly have a more formidable rival in his countyman, Mr. Murray's principles are fully understood and firmly established.

Miss Susie Elder was the guest of Miss Lillian Rhodes and attended the box party.

News reaches us from Bro Pate and wife that they are comfortably installed in their new home and very much pleased.

I will soon have a sketch with pictures of all the great masters in music and on Saturday afternoon we will have "an afternoon with them"—read and talk about them. My advanced pupils are pursuing a classical course and are delighted. No halt these days in music, play the best or none is the decree; the way is long, the way is steep but press forward.

Miss Claudie Smith, of Louisville, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Bewley.

Miss Susie Morgan Richardson, Louisville, will be among the debutantes this winter. Susie's mother was Miss Bettie Morgan, a most intimate friend of my girlhood, and a most beautiful woman who is still remembered here by many friends.

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CINCINNATI
HORROR.

Dome of the Opera House Falls
on the Audience.

TWENTY-SIX PEOPLE HURT

And Two Killed—Realization of "The
Dangers of a Great City," the Play
That Was Being Produced.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 16.—"The Dangers of a Great City," on the stage of Robinson's Opera House last night was cut short in its performance by a tragic realization of the actual dangers of a great city.

The house was well filled, not crowded. A little before 8:30 a lady in the audience says she heard a creeping noise which continued for five minutes before the catastrophe. She gave it little attention thinking it was a part of the performance. Presently the plastering began to fall in small particles at first, but enough to alarm some of the timid or cautious, who retired. A little later the plastering began to shower down in chunks. It came from the ceiling above which supported the dome. There was a rush from the gallery which was not very well filled. The balcony was soon emptied. Those in the dress circle retired as promptly as possible, and strange to say without an apparent panic. The crowding of these to the door obstructed the passage of people from the parquette, which accounts in a measure for the number of casualties.

Nobody expected at that moment any other danger than from the falling plastering. Suddenly and with a great crash the great central truss of the ceiling, 80 feet long and 30 feet wide, came plunging down. The ends of it struck on the two gallery wings and doubled it up in the center, sending it down into the parquette with a great scattering of joists and timbers. Nothing on the stage was harmed.

The news spread rapidly. There was a rush of patrol wagons and of firemen to the scene. The salvage corps with its wagon was first on the ground, and it was followed by all the police patrol wagons, carrying the injured to the Cincinnati hospital.

The list at the hospital showed two dead, five dangerously, if not fatally, wounded, and 25 more or less seriously injured, as follows:

THE DEAD.

Isaac Neighbors.

Mrs. George Kleemann.

FATALLY INJURED.

Mr. Goldman.

Mrs. Struder.

Mary Struder.

Mrs. Haas.

Miss Lucy Cohen.

SEVERELY INJURED.

Pearl Hall.

Grace Conner.

C. J. Weiss.

Jacob Weyla.

Mary Hess.

John White.

Amelia Weyla.

Mary Howe.

Elia Moorman.

Delia Alger and her three children.

Stanley, Joseph and John.

Daisy Fairhead.

S. E. Long.

S. J. Fairland.

T. E. Wiley.

Fred Jenks.

William Moten.

W. J. McCabe.

Clint Deal.

Kate White.

Maggie Studder.

Amelia Weir.

Samuel Rosenbaum.

Clint Steele.

In addition to these a large number, probably 30 or 35 were slightly injured as to be able to walk home. Of the dangerously injured at the hospital several will require amputation, yet every one refusing to submit to the operation. A score of surgeons volunteered their assistance to the hospital corps. A sufficient number was accepted.

The scene in front of the hospital door was a sad one. Hundreds of people gathered there clamoring for the names of the injured. An attendant stood at the door with a list of those brought to the hospital and answered these anxious inquiries. Many names

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were inquired for that were not in the hospital list.

At the opera house ropes were stretched across all approaching streets, and the police had all they could do to keep the crowd of 5,000 or 8,000 people from crushing through. All sorts of wild rumors were afloat and public curiosity was on tiptoe all the more ardent because of these rumors. There was a story afloat that one man was missing. It was a wild story, for he couldn't be in the opera house where the debris was so scattered that it did not form a piled up mass anywhere. Any one standing at the door of the hospital in front of that pitiful, sorrowful, anxiously inquisitive crowd could understand how not one man, but that many men, women and children were missing by friends at home.

The damage to the structure was nothing at all. The stage, comparatively little to the gallery, which suffered most almost nothing to the dress circle, and much less than one would think from the debris scattered around through the parquette where the main truss landed. These trusses in the parquette very much in the shape of a capital letter V. The wonder is that so few were hurt, and of the few hurt, so many escaped with slight injuries.

The cause of the accident seems to be easily discovered. Among the first who entered the building after the dome had fallen was President George W. Rapp of the Cincinnati Chapter American Institute of Architects.

"It was as if that dome," said he, pointing to the huge heap in the center of the floor, "that caused the trouble. The fault lies with the roof trusses. The house has been built more than 25 years, and the wood has shrunk until the bolts and nails afforded the smallest possible security. One of these trusses had rotted away from its fastenings; it has parted and thrown the two sections down, and they, in their descent, pulled the dome with them. These old trusses are of pine and they shrink very perceptibly in the course of years. They should be examined every five or six years. Modern structures are put up with steel trusses. The roof of this theater is liable to come down at any minute."

SAM JONES' BIRTHDAY.

Fifty Guests, One For Each Year of His Life, Greeted Him.

ATLANTA, Oct. 18.—Saturday, at Cartersville, Rev. Sam P. Jones celebrated his 50th birthday with a notable gathering at his home. There were present 50 guests, one for each of the years of his life, including millionaires, bankers, merchants, prominent divines, distinguished professors, newspaper men and railroad magnates.

An elegant dinner was served from 1 to 4 p. m., at which toasts were drunk in water to Sam Jones as a preacher, as a humorist, as a newspaper man, as a lecturer and as a friend. Mr. Jones replied in a most feeling address. Rev. George Stewart acted as toastmaster. Many handsome presents were given Mr. Jones, and he received congratulatory telegrams from prominent people in a number of cities. There was a reception at his home in the evening.

Extensive Beet Sugar Experiment.

ELWOOD, Ind., Oct. 18.—Beet sugar culture will receive a trial on a large scale near this city next spring. A fine 100-acre farm two miles from town having been secured for that purpose. If the experiment proves successful, a large plant will be built, and the farmers within a radius of 10 miles of this city will all go into the business.

Miners Resume Work.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 15.—The 3,500 miners of the river district, who have been idle for two weeks owing to a dispute over the differential, have resumed work, pending a settlement of the trouble by arbitration. The resumption was made with the understanding that a decision is to be reached within 10 days, so that the first pay received by the miners can be based on the rate decided upon by the arbitrators.

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At the residence of the late Virgil Hardin deceased, Holt's Bottom, Ky. All of the personal property of said decedent, consisting of Household and Kitchen Furniture, Live Stock, such as Horses, Cattle, Hogs and other stock, Farming Implements, Machinery &c; Also the Hay, Corn &c., now on the two farms. Terms of sale will be known on day of sale.

I am also authorized to sell at private sale, both or either of the two farms of said decedent. Any person desiring to purchase either or both of said farms will call on me at my residence at Holt, Ky.

HANNAH HARDIN, Admin'r